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STATEMENT REPORTING INTERVIEW SUMMARY

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Interview Summary dated December 14, 2007, Applicant provides this Statement reporting the substance of the telephone interview held with the Examiner on December 6, 2007.

In the telephone interview, Applicant discussed claim 1 with the Examiner. Applicant respectfully submits that the substance of the interview, as shown on the continuation sheet, is accurate.

Dated: December 21, 2007   Respectfully submitted,

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